

- **Pastoral counselor:** *A person who is associated with a religious order or denomination, is recognized by that religious order or denomination as someone who provides confidential counseling, and is functioning within the scope of that recognition as a pastoral counselor.*
- **Professional counselor:** *A person whose official responsibilities include providing mental health counseling to members of the institution's community and who is functioning within the scope of his or her*

license or certification. This definition applies even to professional counselors who are not employees of the institution, but are under contract to provide counseling at the institution.